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OFFICE OF PETITIONS (Rule 1.313c)
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

PETITION FOR WITHDRAWAL FROM ISSUE
ISSUE FEE PAID (37 CFR § 1.313c)

1. Petition

Applicant respectfully petitions for the withdrawal of this application from issue.

2. Patent Issue Fee

The issue fee for this application was paid on January 21, 2006. The issue date is presently unknown.

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3. Reason for Withdrawal Request

The reason for the request for withdrawal is to allow the consideration of a supplemental Information Disclosure Statement and the filing of a Request for Continued Examination.

After payment of the issue fee, Applicant discovered that documents had been overlooked that should be considered by the Examiner. Withdrawal of the application from issue will allow consideration of the Request for Continued Examination and the Information Disclosure Statement.

4. Fee Payment

Applicant submits the required fee of \$130.00 (37 CFR §1.17(h)). The fee is to be paid by Applicants charge card. The charge card authorization form for payment is submitted herewith.

If the reviewer of this petition requires additional information or has any questions, the reviewer is invited to call Applicant's attorney at the number listed below so that the additional information or questions may be expeditiously supplied or answered.

Respectfully submitted,



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